

July 17, 2002

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Ex Parte Comments filed in the Matter of Review of the Section 251

Unbundling Obligations of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers- CC Docket

No. 01-338, Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the

Telecommunications Act of 1996- CC Docket No. 96-989, and the

Deployment of Wireline Services Offering Advanced Telecommunications

Capability- CC Docket No. 98-147.

Dear Secretary Dortch,

In accordance with the Federal Communication's (FCC) Rules on ex parte communications enclosed for filing with the FCC is a written presentation of ex parte comments concerning the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (Triennial Review) in the above-captioned proceedings.

This filing represents data gathered on behalf of various CLECs including Allegiance Telecom, AT&T, Birch Telecom, Broadview Networks, Choice One Communications, Conversent Communications, Covad, Electric Lightwave, Eschelon Telecom, Focal Communications, Ionex Communications, KMC Telecom, MCI Metro, McLeodUSA, New Edge Networks, NewSouth Communications, PaeTec Communications, TDS Metrocom, WorldCom, and XO Communications.

Should you have any questions concerning this filing, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at 301-699-5300.

Respectfully submitted,

Douglas A. Dawson Chief Technical Officer

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AFFIDAVIT

State of Maryland County of Anne Arundel

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary, on this date did personally appear Douglas A. Dawson, who swore upon his oath that the following is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief:

My name is Douglas A. Dawson, I am of sound mind and have never been convicted of a felony. I am over 18 years of age, capable of making this Affidavit, and am fully competent to testify to the matters stated herein. I have personal knowledge of each of the facts stated herein and to the best of my knowledge and belief, each is true and correct.

I am the Chief Technical Officer of CCG Consulting, Inc. whose services have been retained by the following parties and have been authorized by these parties to make this filing on their behalves:

Allegiance Telecom

AT&T

Birch Telecom

Broadview Networks

Choice One Communications

Conversent Communications

Covad

Electric Lightwave

Eshelon Telecom

Focal Communications

Ionex Communications

KMC Telecom

MCI Metro

McLeodUSA

New Edge Networks

NewSouth Communications

PaeTec Communications

TDS Metrocom

WorldCom

XO Communications

Douglas A. Dawson, CTO CCG Consulting, Inc.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED before me on this, ¹⁷ day of July, 2002

Marjorie E. Kimmett, Notary Public

My Commission Expires August 1, 2005